

**510(k) SUMMARY: COALITION® Spacer****JUL 30 2013**

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**Device Name:** COALITION® Spacer

**Classification:** Per 21 CFR as follows:  
§888.3080 Intervertebral Body Fusion Devices.  
Product Code OVE.  
Regulatory Class II, Panel Code: 87.

**Predicate(s):** COALITION® Spacer (K083389)  
Synthes® Zero-P (K112459)

**Purpose:**

The purpose of this submission is to request clearance for additional sizes of COALITION® Spacers.

**Device Description:**

The COALITION® Spacer is a stand-alone cervical interbody fusion device used to provide structural stability in skeletally mature individuals following discectomy. The spacers are available in various heights and geometric options to fit the anatomical needs of a wide variety of patients. Protrusions on the superior and inferior surfaces of each device grip the endplates of the adjacent vertebrae to aid in expulsion resistance. Screws are inserted through the anterior titanium portion of the implant into adjacent vertebral bodies for bony fixation. The spacer is to be filled with autogenous bone graft material.

The COALITION® Spacer is made from radiolucent polymer, with titanium alloy or tantalum markers, as specified in ASTM F2026, F136, F1295, and F560. The anterior portion of the implant and the mating screws are manufactured from titanium alloy, as specified in ASTM F136 and F1295.

**Intended Use:**

The COALITION® Spacer is a stand-alone interbody fusion device intended for use in skeletally mature patients with degenerative disc disease (DDD) of the cervical spine (C2-T1) at one level. DDD is defined as discogenic pain with degeneration of the disc confirmed by history and radiographic studies. These

patients should be skeletally mature and have had at least six (6) weeks of non-operative treatment. The COALITION® Spacer is to be filled with autogenous bone graft material, and is to be used with two titanium alloy screws which accompany the implant.

**Technological Characteristics:**

The technological characteristics of the additional COALITION® Spacer are similar to the predicate devices in terms of design, dimensions, intended use, materials, and performance characteristics.

**Performance Data:**

Mechanical testing consisting of static and dynamic compression, static and dynamic compression-shear, and expulsion was conducted in accordance with "Class II Special Controls Guidance Document: Intervertebral Fusion Device," June 12, 2007, and ASTM F2077 to demonstrate substantial equivalence to the predicate systems.

**Basis for Substantial Equivalence:**

The COALITION® Spacer additional implants are similar to the predicate systems with respect to technical characteristics, performance and intended use. The information provided within this premarket notification supports substantial equivalence of the subject spacers to the predicate devices.



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July 30, 2013

Re: K131449  
Trade/Device Name: COALITION<sup>®</sup> Spacer  
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 888.3080  
Regulation Name: Intervertebral body fusion device  
Regulatory Class: Class II  
Product Code: OVE  
Dated: May 17, 2013  
Received: May 20, 2013

Dear Ms. Kichula:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration. Please note: CDRH does not evaluate information related to contract liability warranties. We remind you; however, that device labeling must be truthful and not misleading.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); medical device reporting (reporting of medical device-related adverse events) (21 CFR 803); good manufacturing practice requirements as set

forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 796-7100 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm>. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR Part 807.97). For questions regarding the reporting of adverse events under the MDR regulation (21 CFR Part 803), please go to <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/Safety/ReportaProblem/default.htm> for the CDRH's Office of Surveillance and Biometrics/Division of Postmarket Surveillance.

You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 796-7100 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm>.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure

## Indications for Use Statement

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Prescription Use  X  OR Over-The-Counter Use    
(Per 21 CFR §801.109)

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PAGE IF NEEDED)

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

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